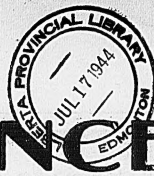


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A Church of England service will be held in the school next Sunday at 7:30 p.m.

Rev. Father Hamilton will celebrate Mass in the Roman Catholic Church on Sunday, July 16th, at 11 a.m.

Gordon Coutts returned on Wednesday night from Calgary where he attended the Stampede.

Miss Edler leaves Friday night for Edmonton where she will attend Summer School Session held at the University.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. King left on Wednesday morning by motor for Calgary where they will take in the Stampede.

Mr. John Coutts left Wednesday night for Calgary where he will attend the Stampede.

Mr. Watson is a patient in the Hanna Hospital.

Mr. Dan Anderson attended the Calgary Stampede this week.

Mrs. Thos. Gilbertson and Marie are visiting with her daughter, Mrs. McFall, at Hanna.

Misses Ethelen Hille, Doris Hittle, Miss Randle and Mr. Nichols were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Edler of Youngstown.

Mr. Wesley Gilbertson attended the Calgary Stampede this week.

Youngstown News

Mrs. W. H. Clapperton returned last Friday after visiting with her two sons and their families at Twatina, Alta.

Messrs Arthur Davie and Arthur Ryan left last Friday for Calgary, where they will attend the Stampede.

Miss Ruth Lynn who is nursing in the Hanna Hospital spent the week end with her parents here.

The Social Credit meeting held in Youngstown Saturday night was well attended with Hon. W. Cross and Mr. D. Ure as speakers.

A picnic for the Junior Red Cross Society was held at Magill's Grove last Friday. Games and contests were enjoyed by all, and a delicious lunch was served.

"Housekeeper's Daughter" starring Joan Bennett and Adolph Menjou will be shown at Youngstown on Thursday, July 20th, owing to Cereal Sports on July 19th.

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SEEDTIME and HARVEST

By DR. K. W. HEATLY
Director
Line Elevators Farm Service

A Third Barley Smut

Nearly all farmers are familiar with covered smut on barley, and they know that it can be controlled by treating the seed with a mercurial dust or with formalin. Loose smut, also, is familiar and it can be controlled only by the use of smut free seed or by means of the somewhat difficult hot water treatment.

Recently, the existence of another kind has been demonstrated and it is now known to be fairly common in the West. It is called 'false loose smut' or 'intermediate smut'. In the field it resembles ordinary loose smut, but in its life history it is closely akin to covered smut. Mercurial dusts and formalin afford effective control.

Since false loose smut looks like ordinary loose smut and behaves like covered smut, it is important to know something of its distribution and occurrence on different varieties of barley. Line Elevators Farm Service is cooperating with the Dominion Laboratory of Plant Pathology, Winnipeg, in making a survey to determine the prevalence of false loose smut. Line Elevators agents, members of junior farm clubs and others are being provided with special envelopes in which to send loose smut specimens to us for microscopical examination.

This is a fine chance for farmers to aid plant scientists. Ask the nearest Line Elevator agent for a booklet illustrating the different smuts and for specimen envelopes.



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Conserving Moisture

Crops sown on summerfallow this spring will benefit from moisture accumulated since about August, 1942, as well as from rain which we all hope will fall this summer. Under average conditions, this involves about 30 inches of precipitation.

Experiments conducted by the late Sidney Barnes at the Dominion Experimental Station, Swift Current, over a period of 11 years, merit careful study by all dry land farmers. Of the total precipitation which falls during the summerfallow period of 30 months (for example, August, 1942 to April, 1944), not more than 30 percent is available to the summerfallow crop. What becomes of the rest?

1. Some percolates down through the subsoil, but this loss is negligible except in humid areas.
 2. Some runs off the field.
 3. A lot evaporates.
 4. Too much is used by weeds.
- We may ignore No. 1. Trash cover and, where feasible, contour tillage will reduce losses from No. 2. Loss from No. 3 is almost entirely unavoidable. With respect to No. 4 it is significant that Mr. Barnes considered that preventing weed growth was the most important feature of summerfallow tillage. In his experiments, wheat yielded more than twice as much when weed growth on the fallow was prevented as it did when weeds were left alone until being plowed under on July 15th.
- It takes at least 300 pounds of water to produce one pound of dry dead weed material.

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Funds For Rehabilitation

CANADA'S FINANCIAL CONTRIBUTION to the work of the United Nations Relief And Rehabilitation Administration for this year will be 77 million dollars. This was announced recently by Hon. J. L. Isley, Minister of Finance, who explained that the contribution is being made on the basis of one per cent. of the national income for the year ending June 30th, 1943. The Dominion Bureau of Statistics reported that the national income for that period was 7,815 million dollars, and thus the sum of 77 millions was agreed upon as the Dominion's share in the essential work of rehabilitation. The amount of the contribution of the United States was determined in the same manner, on the basis of the estimated national income of that nation.

Great Service To Humanity

Great preparation has gone into arrangements for the organization of relief units and specialists in rehabilitation, which follow the United Nations forces into enemy held territory. After giving much careful consideration to the problems which they have to deal, officials of the U.N.R.R.A. agreed that food, clothing and medical care would be the most essential needs of the liberated people. Next to these in importance were placed agricultural implements, seeds, household goods and other articles necessary to a return to normal living conditions. With these conclusions in mind, the members of the Administration have built up an organization which is doing a great service to humanity now, and will continue to do so for some years to come.

Need For Food In Many Lands

The plight of agriculture in Europe is one of the many concerns of those in charge of rehabilitation. In addition to the degeneration which it has undergone during the German occupation, retreat. Much has been done to prepare for the re-establishment of the farms of Europe. Measures have been taken to train refugees from occupied countries in the most modern methods of farming, and arrangements have been made to place the latest findings of British and other Allied scientists, in respect to agriculture at the disposal of the farmers of Europe. In Britain there is also a "Seeds for Europe Fund", which receives voluntary contributions for seeds and farm implements for the liberated countries. Meanwhile, the need for food from this continent is great, and a bounteous harvest in Canada will give us the opportunity of alleviating distress among many less fortunate people.

The Newspaper Boy

Youngsters Who Peddle Newspapers Get Valuable Business Training

It has been proved time and again that youngsters who peddle newspapers get valuable training that paves the way for a successful business career.

Evidently this early training also helps to push them up the ladder of success in the army.

Major General James Ulio, adjutant general of the U.S. Army, stated in a recent article:

"An army doctor in Italy, as a result of his observation in the field, has said he believes the best officers are ex-newspaper boys."

It is the General's contention that the best officer material is coming from the ranks of young men who learn to act and think for themselves and make money as boys.

Resourcefulness is one of the essential qualities of a good army officer. The little merchant who peddles papers has a splendid opportunity to develop that quality which spells success in many directions—Kitchen Record.

WILL HAVE RESCUE NET

Canada's corvettes and destroyers are being equipped with the Rothen rescue net, a device that scoops exhausted wreck survivors from the sea. Men so numbed by the cold water that they cannot help themselves, or so heavily loaded with floating oil that they scarcely can be hauled aboard a rescue boat, are picked up by it and hoisted to the deck.

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Price Control And Rationing Information

Q.—How do I obtain tea-coffee coupons for children who have become 12 years of age since No. 4 book was issued?

A.—If they reached the age of 12 on or before April the 13th, they should have been supplied with the tea and coffee coupons when their number four book was secured. If they have reached 12 years since that time you will have to wait until No. 5 ration book is issued.

Q.—I want to buy some sugar for canning purposes. Will you tell me where I get the "P" coupons?

A.—The "P" coupons for canning sugar are in your No. 3 ration book. The first five coupons became valid May 25, but the second five cannot be exchanged for sugar until after July 6. Each coupon is worth one pound of sugar. It is, therefore, necessary that your No. 3 ration book be placed in safe keeping.

Q.—Where could I obtain a list of the new prices on beef?

A.—All retail meat markets must display the beef chart showing the maximum prices that can be charged for the various grades of beef. The new prices are shown on black and white strips.

Q.—Will you kindly tell me what the prices of milk and sandwiches should be on trains?

A.—Prices of refreshments sold by train vendors are controlled by the Wartime Prices and Trade Board. Milk sells for 10¢ for a half-pint sealed carton and sandwiches sell for 15¢.

Q.—Where can I obtain the booklet "Re-Make Wrinkles", which is a guide for maintaining the family wardrobe in wartime?

A.—These booklets can be obtained by writing to your nearest Wartime Prices and Trade Board office in your province. Canadian women have saved at least 500,000 yards of material for more essential purposes through their activities in Canada's Re-make clothing centres. To date 25,463 women have made over 98,471 garments.

Please send your questions or your request for the pamphlet "Consumers' News" or the Blue Book (the book in which you keep track of your ceiling prices) mentioning the name of this paper to the nearest Wartime Prices and Trade Board office in your province.

Imitates Hitler



Veteran of this, and the last war, Maurice Thorburn, 39, aircraft worker of MacDonald Brothers, Winnipeg, Man., can do an imitation of Hitler that will pass in any strong light. Shortly after he joined the Royal Canadian Engineers in Sept. 1939, he gave a pre-view for high ranking military men which went over with a bang. New to theatrical work, he found himself in demand at army entertainments. And when he went overseas in 1940, he "executed" Hitler for the troops at Aldershot. Returned to Canada in 1942, he joined MacDonald Brothers' Aircraft Ltd., where he is procurement supervisor. In the last war he served with the Royal Navy.

The Wily Jap

Apparently Has Now Fallen Into His Own Trap

Many months ago we referred on this page to one of the most appalling stories of the war. It was reported then on authority which could not be denied that the Japanese as a mark of national policy were deliberately spreading the use of opium among the Chinese people. Agents of the Japanese army followed their advancing troops, made opium available to the native population, taught the habit to civilians and soldiers—the sinister purpose being to break down the Chinese spirit of resistance, to make the Chinese more subservient to the will of the invaders, generally to assist the Japs in their military operations.

Now comes a report from the Pacific, which may well be true, that the opium habit has spread among the Japanese soldiers themselves to an extent which causes alarm in Tokyo. If in fact the biter has been bitten it is as just a case of retribution as we can recall. The Japanese in this war have displayed an infamous brutality unmatched in all the bloody pages of history, from the murder of missionaries and prisoners of war to the slaughter of women and children; wanton torture is their favorite pastime. No doubt they considered their venture in drugs just a smart piece of business. Perhaps it has recoiled on them—"Vengeance is mine, saith the Lord."—Ottawa Journal.

Coming To Canada

Many Wives And Children Of Canadian Soldiers Coming From Britain

Major Gen. B. W. Browne, of Ottawa, assistant national commissioner of the Canadian Red Cross, said in an interview in Winnipeg that the flow of British dependents of Canadian soldiers from the United Kingdom to Canada—temporarily halted before the invasion, will shortly be resumed.

He estimated there are about 20,000 more wives and children of Canadian soldiers to come to Canada.

The steel in a tri-cyclis would make a shell for a 75-mm. howitzer, and that in an average baby carriage would make a .45-calibre submachine gun.

Flax Production

Over Two Million Acres Devoted To Flax This Year

Approximately 2,069,000 acres of flax are scheduled to be grown in Canada this year for linseed oil and oil cake purposes, was revealed in a return tabled in the commons for A. H. Dence (P.C., Saskatoon).

The return gave last year's flax production for linseed and oil cake purposes as 17,900,000 bushels, and revealed that eight flax processing plants were constructed in 1943.

The new plants were built in Montreal, Winnipeg, Toronto, Vancouver, Medicine Hat, Alta., Hamilton, Ont., and St. Boniface, Man.

The Amazon river pours 5,000,000 gallons of water into the Atlantic ocean every second. 2678

War Savings

Vancouver Youngsters Have Purchased Many Fighter Planes

One hundred and fifty-five thousand dollars isn't "they", and the children of Vancouver area schools know that as much as anyone. More than \$155,000 is the amount of money they spent during the past school year on war savings stamps.

Recently, representatives from several Vancouver schools received official recognition for their war savings activities. At Sea Island, British Columbia the seven young people christened seven fighter planes they helped to buy. Each plane was christened by a student from one of the schools in an impressive ceremony at which Squadron Leader D. L. Ramsay presented plaques carrying the R.C.A.F. crest commemorating the event to the representative children. Squadron Leader Ramsay recently returned from service as a fighter pilot in Europe and Russia.

After the official christening the planes, the students and their parents were escorted over Greater Vancouver so that students in the playgrounds would have an opportunity to witness what their war savings had achieved.

Had No Money

But Captured German General Thanked Barber For Hair Cut

Three top-ranking German officers captured at Chateaubert, General Schlieben and Staffier and Admiral Hennecke, were taken to England. General Schlieben, given a haircut by an American soldier-barber, apologized because he had no money to pay and wound up signing the soldiers' autograph album with "Thank you very much for the haircut.—Lt. Gen. von Schlieben."

Admiral Hennecke remarked wryly "I was a prisoner of the British for two years in the last war. Now I am a prisoner of the Americans. Who am I going to be a prisoner of next. The Japanese perhaps..."

Not Small Affairs

Every Heavy Bomber Sent On Raid Carries Ten Men

Some people are prone to think of air operations as "raids" in which small groups of men participate. Such is far from the case, says General H. H. Arnold, Commander U.S. Army Air Forces. There are 10 men in every heavy bomber. 700 bombers mean 7,000 men. A force of 600 medium bombers means another 3,600 or more men—and 1,000 fighters brings the total above 10,000 men. Ten thousand men. Ten thousand men—carrying war to the heart of Germany—400 or more miles from our bases. Such operations are not small affairs. Each one is a mission of great military magnitude.

Sea Water

How It Can Be Made Safe For Drinking Purposes

A seaman stranded in a lifeboat without fresh water or a flier forced to take to his life raft now can get a drink from the sea with two chemical compounds compressed to the size of a bar of soap and four plastic bags having a total capacity of one quart. By dissolving one of the compounds in the first bag of sea water the unpalatable elements are eliminated. Pouring the water into a second bag containing a filter moves the salt. The second compound in a third bag takes away the alkali, and a filter in the fourth bag makes the water palatable.

The Right Answer

Military Hospital Had Asked In Vain For Assistance

In a section of a military hospital where special work is done the lady in charge has been asking in vain for assistance for months, as she finds the increasing work almost impossible to undertake.

This week two "brass-hats" inspected the place, and were delighted with the work being done. On leaving one said:

"I think you've a very excellent unit here, Miss. You've chosen the right word, Sir James," she replied. "Unit means one."

The reply was effective. She's getting an assistant.—Glasgow Herald.

Women in Turkey's air forces are officially designated as Flying Blue Amazons.

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TEA



From Hartford, England, to Quebec City by way of South Carolina is a long way to come to enlist in the Canadian Women's Army Corps, but that is the story of Pte. Pamela Chalmers. Pamela came to the United States in September, 1940, to visit her aunt in South Carolina. While there she met Lieut. C. Kernan, C.W.A.C. recruiting officer from Quebec City, and became so interested in the Corps that she wanted to "join up" immediately. Pte. Chalmers has a sister, Zillah, serving in England with the Women's Auxiliary Air Force.

CEREMONY

Royalty entered the military world recently, when Sgt. Christina Crowell, C.W.A.C. of Windsor, N.E., was crowned Queen of the Annapolis Valley Apple Blossom Festival. In a colourful ceremony combining an ancient English custom dating back to 871 and an old Spanish practice of presenting a golden apple symbolizing freedom, Queen Christina was crowned by Major General L. F. Page, General Officer Commanding, Atlantic Command. Army duties in busy Halifax were laid aside temporarily as the Queen gave out the coronation robes and her CWAC ladies-in-waiting, Ptes. Marie Cupell of Wolfville, N.S., and Mary Perry of Peterborough, Ont., took part in the royal ceremony, procession and Queen's Ball which have become traditional in Canada's beautiful apple blossom country.

STUDY

All-out for education are twin sergeants Carole and Helen Bilecki of Saskatoon, Sask., who in addition to their secretarial jobs at National Council Headquarters, Ottawa, are taking four educational courses during their "off-duty" hours. Anxious to complete their matriculation while in the C.W.A.C. the girls are taking a correspondence course in Chemistry through the Canadian Legion Educational Services. They are also being tutored in Algebra by an officer of the Directorate of Education. Interest in Household Science led them to take a course in sewing and they recently exhibited identical dresses and lingerie in a tri-service educational display held in Ottawa. A course in dramatics rounds out their present curriculum. Next on their agenda is an Army Administration Course at Brockville, for which they are already slated.



The girl behind the CWAC camera is Cpl. Margaret Hermiston, of Englehart, Ont. For the past twenty months, Corporal Hermiston has been employed as the only woman photographer in the Directorate of Public Relations (Army) in Ottawa. Off to a flying start in an Army career of "firsts" she was one of the originals to enlist in the C.W.A.C. in October, 1941. Another "first" was the granting of special permission for her attendance at an R.C.A.F. Photographic Course at Rockville, Ont. A graduate of the Ontario College of Arts, Cpl. Hermiston hopes to be a fashion photographer after the war. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Hermiston of Englehart.

USE RECLAIMED RUBBER

As a result of the release of supplies of reclaimed rubber, arrangements have been made in India for the production in 1944 of six million pairs of canvas shoes with rubber soles and one million pairs of shoes with leather uppers for sale to the public.

Telegraph plateau is the name given to the shallow ocean bottom between Newfoundland and Ireland, where a score of cables now cross.

SMILE AWHILE

"Talk about tough luck. I got a cheque for ten dollars the other day and the only soldier in camp that could identify me at the bank was a bird I owed eight bucks to!"

Waiter at a hotel party: Would you like me a novelty for your table, sir?

"Yes, bring me a decent steak."

"Lily's hair is decidedly fair."

"Yes, but she only decided a week ago."

"The sergeant isn't his old self today."

"No, noticed the improvement."

"Well, I suppose we will meet again, old chap?"

"Yes, accidents will happen."

"What is a jeep ride?"

"The roughest distance between two points."

Interested Hostess: "And what do the sailors do about their laundry?"

Salor: "Oh, they just throw their clothes overboard and they are washed ashore."

Science Teacher—What happens when a body is immersed in water?

Student (pondering, then brightly)—The telephone rings.

"I understand she married a struggling young man."

"Yes, he struggled, but he could not get away."

Doctor Niceman (after spraying the lady's throat): "Madam, it is a pleasure to treat you—you've got such a fine control of your tongue."

Mr. Henpeck (sharply): "Here, doctor, let's have your bill. It's evident that you don't know what you're talking about."

Newly-wed Husband: Do you mean to say there's only one course for dinner tonight? Just cheese?

Wife: Yes, dear. You see, when the chaps caught on fire and fell into the desert, I had to use the soup to put it out.

Dr. Knowall: "You must not stay out late at night, Mr. Smith."

Mr. Smith: "Is the night air bad for me, doctor?"

Doctor: "No, it isn't that. It's the excitement after getting home that hurts you."

RICH IN HISTORY

More of the world's history has been excavated in Egypt's valley of the Nile than from any other place on earth, and, centuries from now, historians may dig up remains of past Nazi legions from beneath Egypt's shifting sands.

July once was called Quintilis, and August was Sextilis. At that time they were the fifth and sixth months, respectively.

Nervous, Restless

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OUR COMPLETE SHORT STORY—

Tomorrow Never Comes

By ALICE M. SNOW

McClure Newspaper Syndicate

Pamela Trevor, the small slight girl with the honey-colored hair, bent her head over her sewing while her cheeks grew pink and her fingers clenched on the needle.

Miss Jenny's Victorian parlor was the official place for the community club and now a few dozen women talked and sewed, knitted and sighed while the sun coming through the trees inched along the rose-bordered carpet.

"Makes me sick!" Amanda Hawes was apparently voicing some deep-felt conviction, for her eyes snapped and the set of her mouth forbade contradiction.

Miss Jenny glanced up mildly. "What does Amanda?"

"This business of young people rushing into marriage with selectees. It's absolute nonsense! There've been at least a dozen in this town. Sentimental, lovesick idiots, can't wait until tomorrow!"

Pamela glanced up sharply. The needle she was holding jabbed her finger and she looked stiffly at the tiny drop of blood that came from the wound.

"It should be stopped!" Amanda got up and it seemed to Pamela that the hard eyes bored directly into her. Let her talk. Pam's lips tightened and the soft line of her chin grew severe. She rose from her chair.

"You—you old maid! How dare you speak like that? You sit there in the smug little nest of your own making and call those who live for today sentimental, lovesick idiots. I can tell you, Amanda Hawes, tomorrow never comes!"

Pamela dropped her fierce tone. She walked to the door, shoulders quivering. "I—I'm sorry to call it this way, but you goaded me into it. I want you all to know that I'm marrying Paul Freeman tonight!" Her blue eyes filled with tears.

"We're not having a wedding because we can't afford it, though I always dreamed of orange blossoms, a veil and people in a church happy for me—"

The door closed gently and for a moment no one spoke.

Miss Jenny's face under the neat row of white curls was a study. Her fingers pleaded and unpleaded the folds of her calico skirt.

"Well, Amanda," she said finally. She was remembering a tall dark man and a younger Amanda who had said scornfully, "You can't make a living for yourself—and until you can don't come near me, Jed Howard."

Amanda Hawes' face looked pinched but her shoulders lifted angrily. "I never in my life heard the likes of it!" This time the door slammed and the sound was like a sharp clap of thunder.

Four hours later the scene at Miss

Jenny's was decidedly festive. Pamela Trevor was standing on a hassock in the middle of the room while Lou Wheeler pinned up the hem of a white satin gown.

"Lucky my Judy left her wedding dress at home. It's a perfect fit except for length. And here is the veil. The orange blossoms are being sent over. Pam, you lucky, lucky girl! This wedding will beat any Stockton has ever seen. All the young folks are over trimming the church. Somebody brought white satin streamers and a length of carpet for the aisle. They are making ice cream out in the kitchen, and the wedding cake is to be five layers high with a tiny bride and groom on top. Oh, Miss Jenny, does this hem look even?"

Miss Jenny's curls were disheveled but her eyes sparkled. "It's fine, Lou. Just finish that and then all will be ready."

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In the entry of the church the bridesmaids clustered, their gowns bright spots of color among the dark dresses of the older people.

"Such a beautiful wedding! And wasn't it unique when it was announced that the town of Stockton gave the bride away? Every single person did some little thing. They say it was all Miss Jenny's idea. Isn't she a darling?"

Out on the steps Miss Jenny watched the small boys stuffing the remains of the wedding cake. Paul Freeman's car was adorned with red and white and blue streamers. Several people stood around with the inevitable rice. Everything, Miss Jenny decided, was absolutely perfect. She started as Amanda Hawes came up and touched her on the arm.

"Miss Jenny?" Amanda's face wore a strange wraithlike smile. "Sometimes folks get too stubborn for their own good. I guess that was the trouble with me. For ten years I've—well, anyway, today has made a change, somehow. I'm giving up my house here. Jed—Jed Howard, you know, is in the West and I wired him that I'm coming—"

"I'm glad, Amanda. I know you'll be happy." Miss Jenny's tattered-clad figure seemed to grow taller. As she went down the walk she thought of Amanda and Jed Howard, but even more she thought of another who forty years ago had voiced Pamela's thought: "Tomorrow never comes—"

Miss Jenny smiled. Turning toward home, her eyes picked out a star that hung low over the trees. "Well, Nathan," she said triumphantly, "I hope you were listening in."

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Etchings Of London

Exhibit Of Souvenirs In Aid Of The Merchant Navy

Etchings of London, loaned by L-Cpl. Joyce Harper and Cpl. Edna Maguire, formed an attractive background for the exhibit of souvenirs and curios held in aid of the Merchant Navy by an Overseas Company of the Canadian Women's Army Corps. Proceeds of the exhibit amounted to nearly three pounds (fifteen dollars) in three days.

Several pieces on display were the property of Cpl. Elizabeth Williams of Sydney Mines, N.S., an ardent collector of curios, and included an antique carved wooden spoon purchased in Aberystwyth, Wales, and a green pottery jug made by her during a pottery course sponsored by the Canadian Legion Educational Services.

A pair of Lancashire cloths contributed by Pte. Alice Ricker of Welland, Ont., attracted considerable interest, as did some antique brass pieces, the property of Pts. Kay MacLean, New Glasgow, N.S.

Other interesting exhibits included some gold leaf from the ceiling of St. Paul's Cathedral, pieces of Chinese carving in ivory, and a Greek oil lamp.

To Develop China

Canada May Profit By Post-War Reconstruction Program

China has drawn up an ambitious post-war reconstruction program into which Canada might fit as a supplier of goods which the Chinese themselves will be unable to produce in quantity for some years, it was learned here.

President Chiang Kai-shek recently outlined a tentative 10-year program calling in part for construction or acquisition in that time of: 12,500 miles of railways; 141,000 miles of highways; harbors with a capacity for 100,000,000 tons; 3,000 locomotives; 451,570 passenger automobiles; 3,000,000 tons dead weight in merchant shipping; 12,000 passenger planes; 10,000,000 houses; 82,100 hospitals; 18,000,000 radio sets.

The program also envisages extensive development of the country's Hydro-Electric power, its waterways and weaving industry.

Rose Hips

Britain Harvests 500 Tons For Making Vitamin Syrup

Roses have always been a synonym for beauty. They can also stand for health. In the Old Country the gathering and making into syrup of the fleshy red fruit of the wild rose has provided substantial amounts of vitamin C for Britain's babies.

In 1941, 2,500,000 bottles of rose hip syrup were made from the 500-ton harvest.

Rose hips are an extremely rich source of vitamin C, the food element which is in shortest supply in the Canadian diet.

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JUST A DIVERSION
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Battle Of Weeds

They Compete With Crops For Water And Other Nutrients

The production of crops is largely a battle with weeds. Because weeds compete with crops for water, light, and the mineral nutrients found in the soil, the argument that a few more weeds cannot make any difference to the crops shows a lack of knowledge of the competition which the crops have to meet from weeds. In infested fields, states the National Weed Committee. Many people accept such weeds as lamb's quarters and pigweed as a matter of course, but the amount of water required to produce one pound of lamb's quarters (dry weight) is very much greater than that needed for a pound of oats. Oats require 597 pounds of water to make one pound of dry matter, but one pound of lamb's quarters uses up 801 pounds of water.

In recent years, natural causes have led to at least a temporary reduction of weed infestation in various places. In some districts, the prevalence of grasshoppers has resulted in a decrease in the growth and vigour of sow thistle. A succession of dry seasons has been followed by less trouble from wild oats. Canada thistle, probably because of combined insect damage and dry seasons, has practically disappeared from areas where it was a great pest a few years ago. However, the opportunity for re-infestation through a change in conditions is a factor that has to be guarded against.

The roots of wild bindweed often penetrate to the depth of seven feet, sufficient plant food being stored in the roots to keep the weed alive for two years. Concerning weed-damage to crops, the Field Husbandry Division, Canadian Experimental Farms Service, has found from experiments carried out at the Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa, that the average loss to grain crops due to mustard over a period of five years was 12.7 per cent.

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SELECTED RECIPES

CRACKER OMELET

4 eggs
1/2 cup milk
1/2 cup cracker crumbs
1 teaspoon melted butter
1 teaspoon salt
Pepper

Roll fine enough crackers to make a half cup of crumbs. Soak the crumbs in milk. Beat the eggs until light and combine with the milk and crumb mixture. Season with salt, pepper and melted butter. Melt a small amount of fat in a frying pan. Pour in the mixture, cover, and cook slowly over a low fire.

CHEESE FONDUE

5 eggs
2 cups milk
2 cups cracker crumbs
1/2 teaspoon salt
1/2 teaspoon dry mustard
1/2 lb Canadian cheese, shredded

Roll fine enough crackers to make two cups of crumbs. Beat the egg yolks, add the milk, cracker crumbs, seasonings and shredded cheese. Fold in the stiffly beaten egg whites. Pour into oiled, or greased, custard cups, place them in a pan of hot water and bake in a very moderate oven, (325 degrees), until firm. Unmold and serve.

WANT ENGLISH TEACHERS

The Emperor of Abyssinia is to ask Britain to send to his country a number of English teachers to train native teachers for work in new "enlightened" schools which he is establishing as a result of his observations of our methods during his exile in England.

Hollywood studios often rent genuine Victoria Crosses and other military medals from their owners, paying from \$50 to \$900.

Buy War Savings Stamps regularly.

Tribute To The British

Secretary Of U.S. Navy Reminds Us Of Their Courage

James Forrestal, Secretary of the U.S. Navy, in an address at Princeton, said:

But let us never forget it was the little island of England in the summer of 1940 and in the hard and bitter months of 1941 that bore the full brunt of the German Luftwaffe and finally drove it out of the English skies. The pitifully small but gallant forces that England could spare for the campaigns in Greece, Crete and North Africa were decimated and battered, but never beaten. Let us not forget that although, as someone said to me in London, in that bleak winter of 1941 "there was no light in the tunnel of darkness," the fires of the English spirit never died.

This Week's Pattern

4813

SIZES 12-20

By ANNE ADAMS

Ruffles accent slim figure lines in simple-to-sew Pattern 4813. With open-for-summer neckline, front buttons for "press 'n' dress" speed.

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NOTICE OF IMPOUNDMENT

P. O. Cereal July 8th
Notice is hereby given under Part II, section 34 of The Domestic Animals (Unorganized Territory) Act that a Iron Grey Horse, dark head & feet Entire animal possibly yearling.

Bay Mare white star on forehead, possibly 2 years, no visible brands, was impounded in the pound kept by N. E. quarter of section 7, Tpt. 29, Range 6 west of 4 Meridian on the 8th day of July 1944.

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WEDDING

DONALDSON — TAIT

A wedding of interest to Cereal and district was solemnized at Hillhurst United Church in Calgary, on Saturday, July 1st, when Isabelle Tait, only daughter of Mrs. Margaret Tait of Cereal, and Thomas D. Donaldson, son of Mr. I. S. Donaldson of Cereal were united in marriage.

The bride entered the church at the side of her mother, who gave her away, to the strains of the wedding march.

The bride's only attendant was Miss Aline Moen, while the best man was Leonard Donaldson, brother of the groom.

The bride looked lovely in a gown of white net over silk, and carried a bouquet of red roses. The bridesmaid chose for the occasion a very becoming gown of blue silk and carried a bouquet of yellow roses. About one hundred friends witnessed the ceremony in the church. Following the wedding ceremony, a reception was held in the Empress Grill for some 27 guests.

The happy couple left for a honeymoon to Vancouver and Victoria, and will take up residence in Calgary upon their return. The best wishes of the community go to Mr. and Mrs. Donaldson for a happy married life.

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INVASION MAKES MORE URGENT THE SAVING OF CIVILIAN GAS!

A Message to Canadian Motorists

THE invasion of Europe has thrown a vast and critical burden upon the petroleum resources of the United Nations.

In the first eight days of the campaign alone Allied aircraft flew 56,000 sorties. Many thousands of oil-burning warships and landing barges are shuttling ceaselessly across the Channel. Tanks, trucks, jeeps, mobile artillery, ambulances, by the thousands, are in action.

The driving power behind all this activity is petroleum — gasoline and fuel drawn from a dwindling crude oil supply. But—there is only so much oil. If existing supplies are to prove adequate, the most stringent economy of gasoline and fuel oil must be practised here at home.

Canada is able to produce only 15% of her own gas and oil needs. The remainder must be imported from the common pool of the United Nations and the bulk of this is shipped here by tankers. Critical manpower is needed to produce our gasoline and oil. Precious lives and precious ships

must be risked to deliver it to our shores.

Invasions, and the difficulties of supply and transportation are not our only problems. Right here in Canada gas and oil are needed in enormous quantities for vital war purposes. The Commonwealth Air Training Plan has consumed as much as 548,000 gallons in a single day. Canada's Navy — expanded since war began from 15 ships to 650—consumes over 2,150,000 gallons every week. Army training, war plant operation, food production, essential trucking — all are huge consumers of gasoline and petroleum products.

Gasoline is ammunition — ammunition of which we have all too little. To waste a gallon of it is a crime against our fighting men.

Answering Your Questions about the Gasoline Shortage

How much gasoline was consumed during the 54 days of pre-invasion bombing? ... More than 200,000,000 gallons.

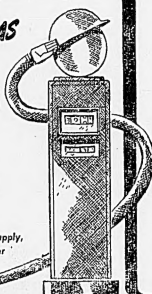
How much fuel oil does a battleship take in one refueling? ... Enough to heat an average house for 350 years.

How much fuel does one armoured division consume in every five miles of advance? ... 10,000 gallons.

How many gallons of petroleum products are required to supply the needs of 500,000 European invasion troops for a week? ... Over 25,000,000 gallons.

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